

## Message Text

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ACTION CU-03

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FM AMEMBASSY WELLINGTON

TO SECSTATE WASHDC PRIORITY 9428

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SUBJECT: PACIFIC BASIN PROJECT

REF: (A) STATE 68463, (B) WELLINGTON 776, (C) WELLINGTON  
754, (D) STATE 58307, (E) WELLINGTON 375.

1. EMBASSY UNABLE TO TACTFULLY REARRANGE GRANT  
SCENARIO AS SUGGESTED REFTEL (A). EDUCATION DEPARTMENT  
(NZED) HAS NOT SET ASIDE FUNDS FOR RENWICK PARTICIPATION.  
FURTHERMORE HE AND NZED ARE UNDER IMPRESSION LERNER  
INVITATION INCLUDED USG FUNDING. CU'S POINT THAT  
RENWICK WAS '74 IV GRANTEE IS WELL TAKEN, HOWEVER IN  
VIEW FUNDING MISUNDERSTANDING AND IMPORTANCE OF RENWICK  
ATTENDING CONFERENCE, EMBASSY FEELS USG COMMITTED TO  
FULL GRANT.

2. ALTHOUGH GNZ HAS STRONG SAY IN BROADCASTING, RADIO NEW ZEALAND  
IS SEPARATE CORPORATION, SO HARTSTONGE  
AND SZASZY ARE NOT GOVERNMENT REPRESENTATIVES.

3. NZED AND EMBASSY FEEL REEDY WOULD PROVIDE VERY  
VALUABLE BACKUP TO RENWICK, HOWEVER IF EXCLUSION OF  
RITCHIE IS EMBARRASSING TO LERNER REMAINDER EMBASSY  
IV FUNDS (REFTEL B) COULD STILL BE DIVERTED FROM REEDY  
TO RITCHIE.  
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